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1. U.S. Patent Application No. 10/076,117, filed on February 13, 2002

In **Exhibit B**, the references listed as follows:

1. U.S. Patent No. 6,054,312, April 25, 2000, Larocca et al., "Receptor-Mediated Gene Delivery Using Bacteriophage Vectors"
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7. The Lancet Vol. 354, pp. 1364, October 16, 1999, Dorothy Bonn, "Gene-directed cancer therapy starts to find its way"

If a telephone interview would be of assistance in advancing prosecution of the subject application, Applicants' undersigned attorney invites the Examiner to telephone him at the number provided below.

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